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## Modern Service Station

Grand Ave. and Mitchell St. PHONE 436  
One block west of Main, Clovis, N. M.

Some people are always distressing themselves over the shortcomings of others. They have none of their own.

Men who talk in their sleep should marry women who are hard of hearing. They can't read lips in the dark.

Some men strive pitifully to cover up the fact that they are in deadly fear of their wives. But they shouldn't worry. Even an elephant will tremble in the presence of a mouse.

The shortage of houses will not worry Mr. Harding during the next

four years. He is perfectly satisfied.

A big head often shelters small ideas.

Don't court trouble. Court your wife instead.

Favorite in the reign of Queen Anne, Gaily printed cotton chintz was a long before cotton prints became cheap.

"Baby's bank—what a help it is during January, the tight money month," observes the Muskogee Times-Democrat.

## Hymn for the New Year

Come, let us meet  
Our journey's end—  
Roll round with the year,  
And never stand still till the Master appear:  
His adorable will  
Let us gladly fulfill,  
And our talents improve  
By the patience of hope, and the labor of love.

Our life is a dream;  
Our time, as a stream,  
Glides swiftly away,  
And the fugitive moment refuses to stay:  
The arrow is flown,  
The moment is gone:  
The thousandth year  
Rushes on to our view, and eternity's near.

O that each, in the day  
Of his coming, may say,  
"I have fought my way through;  
I have finished the work Thou didst give me to do."  
O that each from his Lord  
May receive the glad word,  
"Well and faithfully done!"  
Enter into My joy, and sit down on My throne!"



## Seven Sentence Sermons

**M**EAN to be something with all your might.—Phillips Brooks.

Doing what can't be done is the glory of living.—General Armstrong.

A bright New Year and a sunny track  
Along an upward way,  
And a song of praise on looking back,  
When the year has passed away;  
And golden sheaves, nor small, nor few!  
This is my New Year's wish for you!  
—Anon.

If you tell the truth, you have infinite power supporting you; but if not, you have infinite power against you.—Charles George Gordon.

And let the peace of Christ rule in your hearts, to the which also ye were called in one body; and be ye thankful.—Col. 2, 15.

I asked the New Year for some message sweet,  
Some rule of life which to guide my feet;  
I asked, and passed; he answered,  
Soft and low,  
"God's will to know."  
—Anon.

What thou hast in store  
This coming year, I do not stop to ask;  
Enough, if day by day there dawns  
Before me  
My appointed task;  
I seek not great things,  
For I have learned how vain such seeking is.  
But let me seek Thy will, O King of kings,  
And find therein my bliss.  
—O. E. Fuller.

## BEGINNING A NEW YEAR.

Though we are apt to think that New Year's has been observed since the year one, such is not the case. In fact, there is no mention of the day as a Christian festival until the fifth century, and even now the Hebrews celebrate their New Year's in September, for their calendar is arranged according to the new moon, which makes New Year's a movable holiday. Today, however, there is scarcely a nation but observes this season of the year in some manner or other, though customs differ in most localities.

## A Resolution

**T**O be patriots, rather than partisans; to win the peace by reviving the idealism which won the war; to broaden our outlook and narrow our anti-unities; to carry this national and international affairs the manner which guides gentlemen and gentlemen in their daily conduct; to practice thrift that we may be able to practice charity; to recognize that each of us to and always must be his brother's keeper; to work well that there may be plenty of goods in the world and think well that they may be rightly distributed; to go forward each day to a higher level of purpose and effectiveness, and live as one afraid of no man, and of whom no just man is afraid.  
—Chicago Journal

To our many friends and customers  
we extend our hearty

## New Year's Greetings

And may you enjoy continued blessings  
of happiness and prosperity  
during 1921.

## Farmers State Bank of Clovis

## THOUGHTS for the NEW YEAR

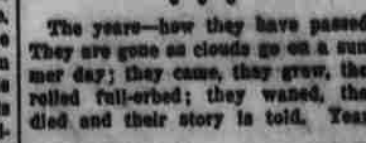
**L**OOK back and appraise the past year and see how little we have striven and to what small purpose; and how often we have been cowardly and hung back, or remiss and rushed unwisely in; and how every day and all day long we have transgressed the law of kindness—it may seem a paradox, but in the bitterness of these discoveries a certain consolation resides. Life is not designed to minister to a man's vanity. He goes upon his long business most of the time with a hanging head and all the time like a blind child. Full of rewards and pleasures as it is—so that to see the day break or the moon rise, or to meet a friend, or to hear the dinner call when he is hungry, fills him with a surprising joy—this world is yet for him no abiding city. Friends fall through, health fails, weariness assails him; year after year he must thumb the hardly varying records of his own weakness and folly. It is a friendly process of detachment.

When the time comes that he should go, there need be few illusions about himself. There lies one who meant well, tried a little, failed much; surely this may be his epitaph of which he need not be ashamed. Nor will he

dial, the striking of the clock, the running of the sand; day and night, summer and winter, months, years, centuries—these are but arbitrary and outward signs, the measure of time, but not time itself. Time is the life of the soul; if not this, then tell us what is time?—Longfellow.



The years—how they have passed! They are gone as clouds go on a summer day; they came, they grew, they rolled full-orbed; they waned, they died and their story is told. Years



that are wrought upon us in thought and deed with the force and power of eternity, years whose marks we shall carry forever, were dissolved like the dew and their work is finished.—Becher.

The time which passes over our heads so imperceptibly makes the same gradual change in habits, manners and character as in personal appearance. At the revolution of every five years we find ourselves another and yet the same.

There is a change of views, and no less of the lights in which we regard them; a change of motives as well as of action.—Scott.



If you would climb to the high places, carry off the richest prizes, get the most enjoyment out of life, and have the sublimest old age, you must conquer the base elements of nature; you must have every atom of the dross of dishonesty squeezed, hammered, burned out. If necessary, you must become as sound as 24-carat gold, as true as best steel.—George K. Morris.



complain at the summons which calls a defeated soldier from the field; defeated, yes, if he were Paul or Marcus Aurelius—but if there is still one touch of fight in his old spirit, undiminished. The faith which sustained him in his lifelong discouragement will source even be required in this last formality of laying down his arms. Give him a march with his old bones; there, out of the glorious sun-colored earth, out of the day and the dust and the ecstasy—there goes another Faithful Failure!

So shall you front, clear-eyed and smiling, the stress, the shining, of the brave New Year.—Stevenson.

Time is but a stream I go a-fishing in. I drink at it; but while I drink I see the sandy bottom and detect how shallow it is. Its thin current slides away, but eternity remains. I would drink deeper, fish in the sky, whose bottom is pebbly with stars.—Thoreau.

What is time? The shadow on the



PEARL WHITE IN "THE THIEF."

"The Thief," as a story, has been translated into all languages. As a stage play it was a wonderful success in New York, London and Paris and made the author rich—he collected a half million dollars in royalties. There must be something to a story that will be so successful and it should make a picture you'll thoroughly enjoy. "The Thief" and a two

reel Sunshine comedy, "Farmyard Follies," is the program Saturday night—New Year's—at the Lyceum. Try To Get In.

## ANNOUNCEMENT

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for Justice of the Peace for Precinct No. 9, subject to the election to be held on the 10th day of January.  
12-30-20p

A. ROMERO.

Mr. Harding says he is going to make the vice-presidency an important position. Under the old law of tit for tat we presume Mr. Coolidge will return the courtesy.

Uncle Sam is beginning to realize it is as important to save the mothers of the land as it is to protect prize pigs.

Every school child will agree that the shortest week in the year is the Christmas vacation week.

Maybe Bryan and Borah were only discussing a conflict in winter lecture engagements.

The man who rocked the boat now has a daughter who decorates her Christmas tree with tissue paper, cotton and wax candles.

Reduction in wages is a new style Christmas present for which the recipient is not likely to express many thanks.

George II granted the original charter to King's College, now Columbia university, New York.

Andrew Carnegie's enthusiasm over a model of a sleeping car made possible the success of the invention.

## Season's Greetings

We wish you one and all a Happy New Year.  
We appreciate your patronage of the past year, and will strive to merit this patronage during 1921.

## Mrs. W. G. Broome Milliner

## TO Our Many Friends and Customers

OUR MANY FRIENDS AND CUSTOMERS  
WE THANK YOU  
FOR YOUR GENEROUS PATRONAGE  
DURING THE PAST YEAR  
AND WE WISH YOU  
A HAPPY NEW YEAR.

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